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In re Application of Hermann Kern et al.

Application Number 10/708,741

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Title Sealing Ring

Group Art Unit 3673

Examiner Alison K. Pickard

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate fees are as follows (check time period desired):

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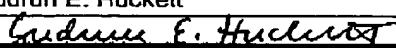
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